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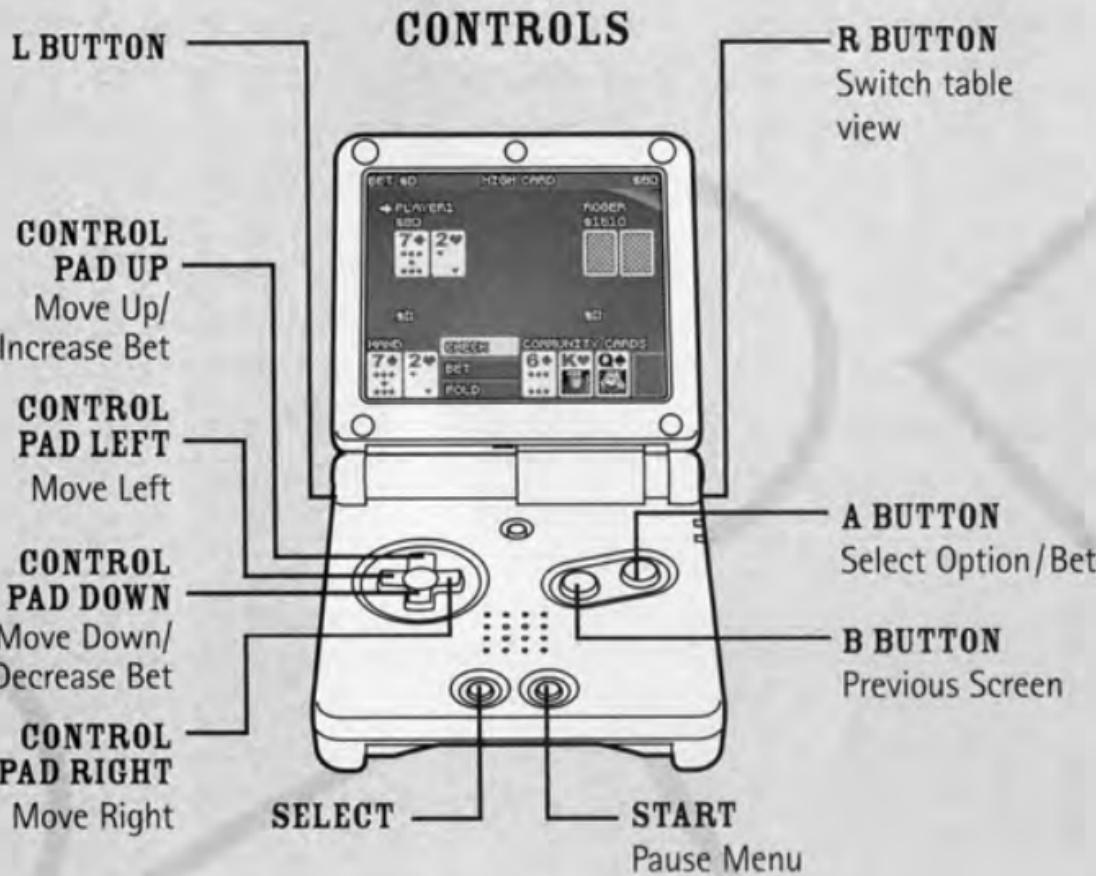
INTRODUCTION

Grab a seat at the table and wager it all in **Texas Hold'em Poker!** Compete in Quick Game or Tournament Mode against up to 9 computer opponents in limit or no limit **Texas Hold'em Poker** to become the champion! Get into the action with **Texas Hold'em Poker**, the hottest poker game around!

GETTING STARTED

1. Making sure your Game Boy® Advance System power switch is set to OFF; insert the **Texas Hold'em Poker Game Pak** into the Game Boy® Advance System.
2. Turn on the Game Boy® Advance System. In a few moments, the Title Screen should appear.
3. Press **START** to display the Game Type Menu.

Important Note: If nothing appears on the screen, turn the power switch to **OFF**. Check to make sure the Game Pak is inserted correctly, then try again. (Always set the power switch to **OFF** before inserting or removing the Game Pak.)



RULES OF TEXAS HOLD'EM

Texas Hold'em is broken into several hands of poker and each hand is composed of four different betting rounds. Each round allows you to make one of several betting choices. When all rounds have been played for each hand, the player with the best hand using his/her pocket cards and community board cards wins the pot. The poker match ends when one player wins all the money on the table, which usually occurs after several hands have been dealt.

BETTING ROUNDS

Round 1: Small Blind and Big Blind are played. The dealer deals each player two cards. The dealer is the player marked by a letter "d". The player left of the player who posted the big blind will be allowed to make a betting choice. Once all players have the same bet amount posted the round will end.

Round 2 (Commonly known as the "Flop"): Three cards are dealt to the community face up. The player left of the dealer is the first to bet. Once all players have the same bet amount posted the round will end.

Round 3 (Commonly known as the "Turn"): One more card is dealt to the community face up. The player left of the dealer is the first to bet. Once all players have the same bet amount posted the round will end.

Round 4 (Commonly known as the "River"): The last card is dealt to the community

face up. The player left of the dealer is the first to bet. Once all players have the same bet amount posted the round will end.

Show Down (Not a Hand Round): At the end of round 4, all players still in the hand show their cards. The strongest hand wins the pot. A new hand is then started with round 1.

BETTING CHOICES

Bet: You can post a starting bet at least equal to the limit value for that round. If the table is in a No Limit setting, then this bet may be as much as your available funds. The money bet will be subtracted from your funds.

Call: You match the highest bet that is currently on the table. The money called is subtracted from your total funds.

Raise: You can raise the current bet at least equal to the limit value for that round. If the table is in a No Limit setting, then this bet may be as much as your available funds. The money bet is subtracted from your total funds.

Check: If no bet has occurred, you may pass on the betting phase. You must call or raise to stay in the game if another player makes a bet.

Fold: You may choose to not bet anymore in this hand. You will be removed from play and not return to play until the beginning of the next hand. No money will be subtracted from your funds.

GAME TYPE MENU

Choose between Quick Play or Career modes.

Quick Play: A single player mode that allows you to play one poker match or a quick tournament with up to nine computer players.

Career Mode: Allows you to play a series of five winner-takes-all poker matches in a single player setting.

Win the matches and increase your bankroll to become one of the most feared **Texas Hold'em Poker** players in the world! Make it through four city tournaments and you'll be on your way to Vegas for the **Texas Hold'em Poker** championship! Career mode is played with 6 computer players.



ENTER NAME SCREEN

Before you begin play you need to type in your name to keep track of your progress. To navigate through the numbers and letters use the **Control Pad**. Press the **A Button** to choose the highlighted selection and highlight **OK** when you're done.

QUICK PLAY MODE SELECT SCREEN

There are two game play choices in Quick Play mode:

Sit Down Table: Lets you play one match with limit stakes.

One Table Tournament: Compete in a no limit tournament.

CHOOSE BUY IN

Sit Down Table: Choose between \$5/\$10, \$10/\$20, \$20/\$40, \$40/\$60 or \$80/\$160 betting increments.

One Table Tournament: Choose between \$100, \$200, \$500, \$1,000, \$5,000 or \$20,000 for the buy in.

CHOOSE NUMBER OF OPPONENTS

Choose to play against 1-9 computer opponents.

CAREER MODE SELECT SCREEN

Choose from two different game types:

New Career: Lets you begin a new career.

Continue Career: Continue a previously started career by entering a password. You receive passwords after you



have won each table in the One Table Tournament Game Mode. Make sure you write your password down because without it you will start at the beginning of the game!

There are two game options in Career Mode:

Sit Down Table: Lets you play one match with limit stakes.

One Table Tournament: Compete in a no limit tournament.

CAREER INFO

The Career info screen displays your current city and bankroll.



CHOOSE BETTING INCREMENTS (SIT DOWN TABLE ONLY)

Sit Down Table: Choose between \$5/\$10, \$10/\$20, \$20/\$40, \$40/\$80 or \$80/\$160 betting increments.

One Table Tournament: There is no selectable buy-in for the one table tournament. Each city has a predetermined buy in.

ONE TABLE TOURNAMENT PURSES

Here is the purse for each city:

Riverboat	\$1,500
Lake Tahoe	\$9,000
Reno	\$54,000

Atlantic City	\$324,000
Las Vegas	\$1,944,000

BETTING MENU

When the table limit is set to No Limit and you choose to raise the bet, the Betting Menu will be displayed. It is split up into two sections:



Chip Raise Section: The Chip Raise is dictated by your bankroll. Use **Control Pad Left** and **Control Pad Right** to select the chip amount you want to raise the bet by. Using **Control Pad Up** and **Control Pad Down** causes the chip amount to increase and decrease.

After you've decided how much to raise the bet by, press the **A Button** to advance to the Button Selection section.

BUTTON SELECTION

You have three options in this section:

OK: Posts the bet that you set up in the *Chip Raise Section* as your raise

All In: Posts your entire bankroll as your raise.

Cancel: Removes the Betting Menu and the game play will continue as though you've made no choice.

PAUSE MENU

Press **START** to access the Pause Menu. Make selections by using **Control Pad Up** and **Control Pad Down** and then pressing the **A Button**. You can select from the following options:

Options: Select to access the Options Menu.

Resume Game: Takes you back to the current game in progress.

Quit: Ends the current match and returns you to the Game Type Screen.

OPTIONS MENU

The Options Menu can be accessed both at the beginning of the game and in game through the Pause Menu. You can select from the following:



VOICE OVER

On: The in-game commentator will be heard.

Off: The in-game commentator will NOT be heard.

MUSIC

On: The in-game music will be heard.

Off: The in-game music will NOT be heard.

AUTO ZOOM IN AFTER DEAL

On: When the deal is finished (zoomed out view), the view will automatically change to the zoomed in view.

Off: When the deal is finished (zoomed out view), the view will remain in zoomed out view.

BACK TO PAUSE MENU

Returns to Pause Menu.

HIERARCHY OF WINNING HANDS (LOWEST TO HIGHEST)

HIGH CARD: The player with the single highest card.

PAIR: Two cards with the same face value.

TWO PAIR: Two pairs.

THREE-OF-A-KIND: Three cards of the same face value.

STRAIGHT: Five cards in sequence with mixed suits. No wrapping allowed.
Aces can be high or low.

FLUSH: Five cards of the same suit not in sequence.

FULL HOUSE: Three-of-a-kind and a pair.

FOUR OF A KIND: Four cards with the same face value.

STRAIGHT FLUSH: Five cards of the same suit in numerical order.

ROYAL FLUSH: Ace, King, Queen, Jack, Ten in the same suit.

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